lished in a normal trading atmosphere over a reasonable period of time, the fixed price methods would be appropriate. In all other cases, the section method with wide participation may be adopted.

E. Standing Committee on Public Enterprise disinvestment:

The Committee has suggested that the Government may consider creating a Standing Committee on Public Enterprises Disinvestment to recommend enterprise-specific action for reforms, restructuring and disinvestment as well as monitoring and evaluating the process of implementation.

S.T.D. facilities in Andhra Pradesh

*26. DR. NARREDDY THULASI REDDY: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) what are the places in Andhra Pradesh which have been provided with S.T.D. facilities so far; and

(b) what are the places which are proposed to be provided with S.T.D. facilities during the year 1993-94?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SUKH RAM): (a) The list of places is given at Statement-I (*See* below)

(b) The list of places is given at Statement-II.

Statement I

List of Places provided with STD Facility in Andhra Pradesh as on 31-03-1993

CIRCLE ANDHRA PRADESH

S.No.	Station
1	Achanta
2	Adilabad
3	Adoni
4	Akivedu
5	Alamuru
6	Allagadda
7	Amalapuram
8	Amaravathy
9	Ambajipetta
10	Amudalavalasa
11	Anakapalli
12	Anantapur
13	Anaparthy
14	Annavaram
15	Armoor
16	Atmakur
17	Atmakur
18	Attili
19	Avanigadda
20	Balachoruvu
21	Ballampally
22	Banaganapalle
23	Bapatla
24	Basanth Nagar
25	Bellampalli
26	Bethamcherla
27	Bhadrachalam
28	Bhimadole
29	Bhimavaram
30	Bhimunipatham
31	Bhongir
32	Bibinagar
33	Bobbili
34	Bodhan
35	Bollaram
36	Buchireddipalem

S. No.	Station
37	Chagallu
38	Challapalli
39	Chandragiri
40	Chebrolu
41	Chevalla
42	Chilakaluripet
43	Chilamakuru
44	Chirala
45	Chittore
46	Chityala
47	Choldavaram
48	Chowtuppal
49	Cudappah
50	Dharmavaram
51	Dowlaeswaram
52	Draksharama
53	Dronachalam
54	Duggirala
55	Dwaraka Tirumala
56	Eighth Incline
57	Ekambarakuppam
58	Eluru
59	Gadwal
60	Ganapavaram
61	Garividi
62	Ghatkesar
63	Godavarikhani
64	Gooty
65	Gudalavalleru
66	Gudivada
67	Guduru
68	Guduru
69	Guntakal
70	Guntur

S. N.	Station
71	Hanuman Junction
72	Hanumankonda
73	Heeramandalam
74	Hindupur
75	Hydreabad
76	Ibrahimpatnam
77	Ibrahimpatnam
78	Ichapuram
79	Isnapur
80	Jadcherla
81	Jaggempet
82	Jaggyyapet
83	Janagaon
84	Jangareddigudem
85	Jothyinagar
86	Kakinada
87	Kamareddy
88	Kanchikacherla
89	Kandokoru
90	Kankipadu
91	Karimnagar
92	Karlapalem
93	Kavali
94	Kazipet
95	Khammam
96	Kirlampudi
97	Kodada
98	Kolluru
99	Kondrupadu
100	Korukonda
101	Kothagudem
102	Kothakota
103	Kothapeta
104	Kovur

Sl. No.	Station
105	Kovvur
106	Kurnool
107	L.M.D. Colony
108	Lepakshi
109	Lingampally
110	Machavaram
111	Machlipatnam
112	Madanapalle
113	Madanapuram
114	Madhira
115	Madhuravada
116	Madugula
117	Mahboobnagar
118	Malkapuram
119	Mancherial
120	Mandapeta
121	Munuguru
122	Medachal
123	Medak
124	Medarametla
125	Miriyalaguda
126	Mukteshwarem
127	Mummidivaram
128	Mylavaram
129	Nagarkurnool
130	Naidupet
131	Nakrekal
132	Nalgonda
133	Nambur
134	Nandigama
135	Nandikotkur
136	Nandivelugu
137	Nandyala
138	Narasamapeta
139	Narasipatnam
140	Narayanpet
141	Narkatpally
142	Narsapur
143	Narsapur
144	Nellore
145	Nidadavole (MSTD)
146	Nirmal
147.	Nizamadad
148	Nunna
149	Nuzividu
150	Ongole
151	Palakole
152	Palamcnar
153	Palasa
154	Palvancha
155	Pamarru
156	Parvathipuram
157	Patancheru
158	Pedana
159	Pedapalli
160	Peddapuram
161	Pendurthi
162	Penugonda
163	Penukonda
164	Perecherla
165	Pipara
166	Pithapuram
167	Pochampalli
168	Ponduru
169	Ponnur
170	Poranki
171	Prasantinilayam

Sl. No.	Station
172	Prodeeturu
173	Pultur
174	Rajam
175	Rajamundry
176	Ramachandrapuram
177	Ramayanpet
178	Ravulapalem
179	Rayavaram
180	Razole
181	Renigunta
182	Repalle
183	Salthinetipalli
184	Samalkot
185	Sangareddy
186	Sanghinagar
187	Sankrapalle
188	Sathupale
189	Sattenapalli
190	Shadnagar
191	Siddipet
192	Singaraikoda
193	Sirpur Kagaz Nagar
194	Srikakulam
195	Srikalahasti
196	Srisailam
197	Sulluripet
198	Sultanabad
199	Suryapet
200	Tadipatri
201	Tallarevu
202	Tanaku
203	Tandur
204	Tanguturu
205	Tatipaka
206	Tekkali
207	Tenali
208	Thadepalligudem
209	Thiruvuru
210	Tirumala
211	Tirupathi
212	Toopran
213	Tuni
214	Utnoor
215	Vatticherukuru
216	Vijayawada
217	Vikarabad
218	Vinukonda
219	Vishakhapatnam
220	Vizianagaram
221	Vuyyuru
222	Wanaparty
223	Warangal
224	Wyral
225	Yadagiri Gutta
226	Yelesvaram
227	Yellandu
228	Yellamanchilli
229	Yemmiganur
230	Yernaguntla

Statement-II

List of Stations/Exchanges proposed for provision of STD facility during 1993-94 in Andhra Pradesh

CIRCLE: ANDHRA PRADESH

Sl.No.	Station
1	Aswaraopet
2	Alur

Sl. No.	Station
3	Achampet
4	Addanki
5	Araku
6	Boath
7	Bhimadevarapalli
8	Buragampahad
9	Bheemual
10	Badangi
11	Bhogapuram
12	Badvel
13	Bangarupalem
14	Banswada
15	Bestavaripet
16	Chinnur
17	Chinna Kothapalli
18	Chinnagotti Gallu
19	Chintapalli
20	Cherial
21	Chityal
22	Chintalapudi
23	Devarkonda
24	Domakonda
25	Darsi
26	Etur Nagaram
27	Gangadhara
28	Gajwel
29	Gudur
30	Giddalur
31	Gopalapuram
32	Husnabad
33	Huzur Nagar
34	Ipur
35	Indukurpet
36	Kanekal

Sl. No.	Station
37	Kadiri
38	Kambadur
39	Kamalapuram
40	Kodur
41	Kodumuru
42	Kodangal
43	Kollapur
44	Kondepi
45	Ranigiri
46	Kotabommali
47	K. Kothapadu
48	Kalvakurthy
49	Kotauratla
50	Kurupam
51	Kuppam
52	Kodakandla
53	Luxuttipet
54	Lakhi Reddipalli
55	Mudhole
56	Maddipadu
57	Marpalli
58	Maheswaram
59	Marripeda
60	Madanpur
61	Motkur
62	Mandavalli
63	Madakasira
64	Muddanur
65	Macherla
66	Mahadevpur
67	Malliyal
68	Metapally
69	Movva
70	Nallamada

Sl. No.	Station
71	Nugur
72	Namppally
73	Nidamanoor
74	Nakkapalli
75	Narayankhed
76	Punganur
77	Pulivendla
78	P. Gannavaram
79	Paland
80	Prathipadu
81	Pattikonda
82	Podalakur
83	Parchur
84	Pamuru
85	Parhi
86	Pathapatnam
87	Polavaram
88	Podili
89	Rajupalem
90	Rapur
91	Ranasthalam
92	Siddavatam
93	Sudimala
94	Sadasivpet
95	Singanamala
96	Santa Magaluru
97	S. Kota
98	Sabbavaram
99	Saluru
100	Tallapatla
101	Talurum
102	Tadikonda
103	Tirumalayapalem
104	Tarlupadu
105	Tungaturthy
106	Udayagiri
107	Vayalpadu
108	Vakadu
109	Vinjamur
110	Vuyyampeta
111	Wankidi
112	Wardhannapet
113	Yrllavaram
114	Yellareddy
115	Zhirabada
116	Yerragondapalem

Interest rate structure

*27. SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA:

SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SAMBHAJIRAO SHINDE:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether while opening the Southern regional office of the SEBI at Madras on June 2, 1993, he had indicated that Government are having a fresh look at the interest rate structure in view of the decline in inflationary trend; and

(b) if so, what decision has since been taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. ABRAR AHMED): (a) During the inauguration of the Southern regional office of SEBI at Madras on June 2, 1993, it was stated, inter alia, that interest rates needed a fresh look since inflation rate had come down to 6 per cent.

(b) The interest rate has been reduced from 16.5 per cent to 16 per cent for